

# California OES Weather Threat Briefing

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**Day 1 (Monday):** Gusty winds and low relative humidity will lead to critical fire weather conditions across the Central Valley today.

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# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**05/03/21 - 05/09/21**

## **Monday-Tuesday**

- Gusty winds and very dry conditions will continue to bring critical fire weather conditions to much of the Sacramento and northern San Joaquin Valleys Monday and Tuesday
  - Any new fires could spread quickly with the expected weather conditions
- While not as widespread as the Central Valley, gusty winds and dry conditions will lead to locally elevated fire weather concerns across the southern California mountains, foothills, and deserts, as well as portions of Coastal Region, through Tuesday

## **Wednesday-Sunday**

- Another warming trend expected for much of the state Wednesday and Thursday, with additional heat impacts expected
- Dry conditions also continue, with only light showers near the Oregon border expected through Friday
- Winds could increase across the state again late in the week and into the weekend



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

05/03/21 - 05/09/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
<b>Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds</b>	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern		All Regions	Southern	Southern	Southern
<b>Snow</b>							
<b>Coastal Flooding</b>							
<b>River Flooding</b>							
<b>Thunderstorms</b> (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
<b>Fire Weather</b> (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Inland/ Coastal/ Southern	Inland		All Regions	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern	Inland/ Southern
<b>Heat Risk</b>			Southern	Southern			
<b>Heavy Rain/Flash Flooding/ Debris Flow</b>							
<b>Cold</b>							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

05/03/21 - 05/05/21

Precipitation is not expected through Wednesday

Precipitation (inches)



# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**05/08/21 - 05/16/21**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (May 8 – May 12)**

### **Temperatures**

- Below normal temperatures are favored statewide

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is favored for northern California, with near normal precipitation favored for southern California

## **8-14 Day Outlook (May 10 – May 16)**

### **Temperatures**

- Near normal temperatures are favored for northern California, with near normal temperatures favored for southern California

### **Precipitation**

- Below normal precipitation is favored for northern California, with near normal precipitation favored for southern California



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